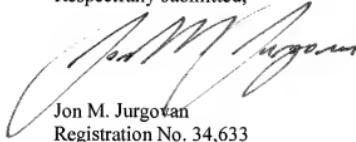


REMARKS

Claims 1-3, 10-13 and 16-32 are pending in the application and all Claims have been allowed in the Notice of Allowance mailed November 17, 2006. By the present Amendment, Applicant requests entry of amendments to the dependency of Claims 25-28 so that they depend from Claim 24 rather than Claim 26 as previously recited. It is submitted that this Amendment is appropriate at this time since it is of a minor nature not related to patentability of the claimed invention. Accordingly, entry of this Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312 is requested.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 CFR § 1.136(a), and any fee required therefore (including fees for net addition of claims) is hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 16-0605.

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